

## Grains, Grasses, Legumes -- August, 1954

GRASSES -- Many areas short on moisture found brome grass mixtures the only fields remaining green for summer pasture or hay. Early fall is one of the best times to get new brome seedings started. High yields in western states have kept seed prices under those of a year ago and the quality of western seed is also higher this season. Ohio's crop is somewhat smaller than a year ago but is nice in color and quality.

The drought of the past several years has hurt orchard grass stands and seed production is extremely short. Timothy seed is below average again, so prices on these two widely used grasses are higher. Bluegrass, on the other hand, is in better supply and priced lower. The fescues and most other grasses are in line with last season.

LEGUMES -- Carryover of Alfalfa seed under the Government loan program, plus prospects for new crop seed, is favorable for continued reasonable alfalfa seed prices. Limited supplies in dealers' hands, government holdings at above spring levels and a strong summer demand have caused a temporary tight situation on alfalfa seed.

Prospects for red clover, ladino and sweet clover are such that these legumes are expected to remain at about last year's levels. No indication of any legume seed shortage is apparent at this time.

Many of the newer alfalfa, red clover and grass seed varieties will be available in at least limited amounts for winter and spring orders.

#### FALL GRAINS

Good supplies of high quality seed wheat, rye and fall barley are on hand. Certification on some wheat varieties is already completed and the others will soon be finished. Rye and Barley are ready for prompt shipment or pick up.

Prices have been kept at low levels. Cleaned, tested, treated seed is but a few cents more per bushel than a farmer's own grain would be when hauling, cleaning, treating and similar costs are considered.

A brief description of the varieties handled is given on the inside page of the price list. If a variety not listed is desired, we will make every effort to try to locate a source of seed and get it for you in plenty of time for sowing.

Again, as we have said many times, sow the best. Seed costs are such a small part of the expense of producing a crop. Start with good seed. Try Scotts.

Sincerely.

# Retail Price List

"SCOTTS" grade is the highest quality seed available. It is carefully selected and noxious weed free. Most lots will test 99.75% pure seed or higher.



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CHOICE BRAND: Choice, clean seed, low in weed content. Higher quality than is generally available at comparable prices.

Seed Prices Subject To Prompt Acceptance

ALFALFA-ALSIKE SCOTTS Northwestern or Kansas Certified Ranger - Buffalo - Atlantic Certified Williamsburg SCOTTS Alsike  TIMOTHY, BROME SCOTTS Timothy Choice Brand Timothy Southern Type Brome	30.00 bu. Certified Ladir White Dutch ( Birdsfoot Trefo Birdsfoot Trefo Crimson Clove: Reseeding Crim	OTHER LEGUMES         W Blossom Sweet       \$ 9.60 bu.         Book       .80 lb.         Clover       1.15 lb.         1 (Imported)       .70 lb.         1 (New York Certified)       2.15 lb.         .30 lb.         son (Certified)       .40 lb.		
*Lancaster (Cert.) Brome (*Superior to Lincoln)  LEGUME INOCULATION  Alfalfa - Clover Combination 1 bu. size				
SCOTTS FALL PASTURE  MIXTURE\$41.50 cwt.  Early fall is the ideal time to sow most pasture grasses. Scotts mixture for fall seeding is a blend of the most desirable grasses and legumes for permanent pastures. Contains Kentucky Bluegrass, Ryegrass, Orchard Grass, Timothy, Ky. 31 Fescue, Reed Canary Grass, Ladino and Alsike Clover.	PASTURE GRASSES         Orchard Grass (Onion Free) \$ .45 lb.         Red Top (Fancy)	SCOTTS HEAVY-DUTY PASTURE MIX\$45.00 cwt.  Contains Ladino Clover, Alsike, Birdsfoot Trefoil, Alfalfa, Brome Grass, Ky. 31 Fescue, Orchard Grass, Perennial Ryegrass and Timothy.  SCOTTS Heavy-Duty Mix is suggested where the field is to be left in pasture for at least five years and where heavy graz-		
Sow 20-25 pounds per acre for establishing a new pasture and about half that amount for reseeding an old pasture.	Ryegrass (Annual)	ing is desired. Apply fertilizer, and lime where needed, and follow recommended seeding methods. Sow 25-30 lbs. per acre.		

# Scotts Treated Seed Grains

All Seed Wheat and Barley will be Ceresan treated without extra charge. This treatment is recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the State Experiment Stations for the control of certain smuts and many other seed borne and seedling diseases. Seed treatment usually improves stands, yields and quality of grain.

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WHEAT-60 LBS. TO BUSHEL	Balbo Type Rye\$2.25 bu.					
Certified Seneca\$3.00 bu.	Tetra Petkus Rye 4.90 bu.					
Certified Thorne 3.00 bu.	Kentucky Type Winter Barley 2.00 bu.					
Certified Butler 3.00 bu.	Kenbar Winter Barley 2.00 bu.					
Certified Vigo 3.00 bu.	Certified Kenbar Barley 2.25 bu.					
Certified Pennoll 3.20 bu.	Certified Ohio No. 1 Barley 2.10 bu.					
Pennoll (Field Inspected)	Winter Turf Oats (Limited Supply) 2.25 bu.					
(Orders for 30 bu. or more of Wheat - Rye - Barley discounted \$ .10 per bu.)						

### (Kills Rats & Mice) 1 lb. Redi-Mix ...... \$ .80 per can 2 lb. Redi-Mix ..... 1.40 per can 1 lb. Redi-Mix Pellets .... .95 per can

WARFARIN

# **FARM LAWNS**

		Haven Grass Seed	
1	lb.		.85
5	lb.	***************************************	3.85

### Scotts Hybrid Seed Corn

(Complete Listing In December. Shipment After January 1)

### **Seed Oats**

Varieties will include Clinton 59, Clinton 11, Craig, Mo. 0-205, Cherokee, Clintafe, Ajax and possibly Clintland.
Quotations on Seed Corn and Oats are expected to be the same as last season.

## Newer Legumes

December listings will include Vernal, Williamsburg, Naragansett and Rhizoma alfalfas, Pennscott and Kenland clovers, as well as a full line of other recommended varieties of farm seeds.

### GRAIN VARIETY DESCRIPTION

WHEAT - BARLEY - RYE - OATS

THORNE—Developed in Ohio and has been the most widely used variety in a number of states. Red chaffed, beardless, very stiff strawed, high yielding and has excellent milling quality. Has outyielded all of the older varieties and is adapted to a wide area.

SENECA—A newer variety closely related to Thorne. Similar in appearance as it is red chaffed, beardless, stiff strawed and of equal milling quality. Has shown a slight yield advantage over Thorne and averages higher in test weight.

PENNOLL—A new Pennsylvania variety, light chaffed, beardless, stiff strawed, high test weight and excellent yielder. Has good resistance to stinking smut, good milling qualities and test weights and yields have equalled or surpassed other varieties.

VIGO—An Indiana variety, winter hardy, high yielding, and excellent test weight. A smooth white chaffed wheat, taller and not quite as stiff as Thorne and Seneca. Has performed best in Western Ohio and Indiana, with yields not as good East from these points. Outstanding characteristics have been winter hardiness and high test weight.

BUTLER — A bearded, white chaffed wheat, excellent stiffness and is winter hardy, specially suited if wheat sowing is late. Has outyielded Thorne and is higher in test weight. Most popular in Southern and Western Ohio but also has had good production record in other sections.

OHIO NO. 1 BARLEY—Similar to Kentucky No. 1 barley but has excelled in yield under Ohio conditions. Bearded, average straw stiffness, should be sown ten days ahead of wheat to get well started before winter. Not as hardy as wheat or rye so produces better where winters are less severe or when winters are mild.

KENBAR BARLEY—A new variety released by Kentucky and Pennsylvania. Has outyielded Kentucky and Ohio barleys. Is much stiffer and finer strawed, medium early maturing but is not considered quite as winter hardy. Probably the best in the winter barley growing area.

KENTUCKY BARLEY—Similar to Ohio No. I barley and has been the most widely used variety. Fairly winter hardy and is a good producer. All barley should be sown ahead of the normal wheat seeding BALBO RYE—Is considered superior to common or Rosen type rye for pasture as it is more leafy and generally higher yielding for fall or spring pasture. Superior production seems to lessen in Northern sections.

TETRA PETKUS RYE—A new winter rye, high yielding, vigorous, stiff strawed, strong root system. Has outyielded common rye and wheat by 15 to 20 bushels per acre. Produces large tonnage for fall pasture or summer silage. Well liked by livestock, gives no off-flavor to milk. Excellent as a cover crop or for plow-under. Needs to be well fertilized and should not be grown within 100 feet of other rye because of cross pollination. An important addition to grain and feed production.

WINTER TURF OATS — There are a number of certified and satisfactory winter oats varieties for states that have mild winters or can make early spring seedings. Winter or fall oats is less winter hardy than barley, wheat or rye and is not recommended for Ohio, only to a limited extent in Pennsylvania and on north. The Winter Turf variety is considered more winter hardy and has a better chance of producion in most of the borderline areas.

## Scott Farm Seed Company, Mechanicsburg, Ohio

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August, 1954		Check ) Money Order) \$ is enclosed for the above or	der	Total	

HOW TO ORDER. Kindly include full remittance for prompt delivery. Personal check, bank draft, money order or cash acceptable. Be sure to tell us if your freight station is different from your post office address. Parcel post shipment is more satisfactory on orders under 40 lbs. Please include postage.

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